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Indications. For the Middle Atlantic States, cloudy, rainy cather, easterly winds, vector to southerly,

young Brooke to run, and young Brooke ran, but was quickly captured by Officer Kirby. He was, however, afterward released.

ALL THE PRISONERS
were taken to the Fourth precinct station, and
officers were left in charge of the house. Mr. officers were left in charge of the house. Mr. Clements and Marshal Tayler meanwhile started to Georgetown to secure the person of James R. Young, one of the principals in the case, who was not found about the distillery. They met Young driving in his buggy when near Georgetown, and immediately placed him under arrest. The prisoners were kept at the station-house until about 2 o'clock, when they were brought down town in two hacks and taken before United States Commissioner. and taken before United States Commissioner Plant. Assistant District Attorney Coyle ap-peared for the prosecution and Mr. Taggart for the defense. After some discussion it was decided to

continue the case until Friday at 2 o'clock. Bail was fixed in the case of Brooke, Dyer and Young at \$3,000 each, and in Burke's case at \$1,000. O'Brien and Lewis were released on giving their personal bonds to appear Friday afternoon. Short-ly afterward Dyer was released on bail—his brother, John H. Dyer, appearing as his bonds-

brother, John H. Dyer, appearing as his bondsman. The other three were taken to jail.

THE HOUSE
in which the distillery is located is owned by John L. Kidwell, of Georgetown, and the store was formerly occupied by him as a drug store. It is a three-story brick and stands alone, the lots on either side being vacant. The store was opened by Brooke last spring as a ment and provision store. On the awning are painted the words "Farmers' Market" and "F. I. Brooke & Co." There is nothing unusual in the appearance of the store, it being fitted up the usual way with meat-hooks, blocks, racks and refrigerators. The third or top floor is and refrigerators. The third or top floor is not occupied at all. The rooms on the second floor were used by the distillers. The apart-Boor were used by the distillers. The apartments are most conveniently arranged for the purpose, as a person, to gain admission to the front room, has to walk through a passage and another back room. The house is bare of furniture, but the front room is filled up with the tubs, furnace, still and the other paraphernalia of the distillery. When the officers entered the front windows were found tightly covered with blankets and papers, so as to exclude the light and prevent any discovery of the contents with blankets and papers, so as to exclude the light and prevent any discovery of the contents of the room from the street. There was also a sink in the room, with a pipe leading to the sower-pipe, so that all slops and waste could be disposed of without leaving the room. In the little rear room is a cook-stove and other kitchen furniture. The men employed about the place cooked their own meals. The still, which is of copper, has a capacity of 176 gailons. When the officers entered the place there were four large tubs or vats filled with "mash" ready for the still and so vats filled with "mash" ready for the st lons. When the officers entered the place there were four large tubs or vats filled with "mash" ready for the still and six empty tubs. Everything indicated that the process of distilling would have been commenced in a very short time. The furnace in which the still is set is of brick and very heavy. Last Monday supports were placed in the store below, under the ceiling, which was in danger of sinking beneath the heavy weight. It is estimated that fifteen barrels of forty-five gallons each could have been turned out of this place weekly.

THE OFFICERS have suspected the place for some time, and have carefully observed every movement of the men. On the 25th of August four large tubs were hauled to the place from the depot, having been shipped from Baltimore. Evi-dently, in order to avoid suspicion, they were

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been employees about the place.
THE WITNISSES.
Among the witnesses who will be called for the Government are Horace Jarboe, the increase a general description of the Georgetown cooper, through whom the tubs were ordered and procured from Baltimore, and Elbridge Lansdale, a plumber, who did the plumbing work in the place.

Brooke, after his arrest, stated that nothing had been done yet and they intended to get.

had been done yet, and they intended to get out a license immediately. The law, however, requires bonds to be given and the stills to be

The property is now in charge of the United States marshal. The case is one which reflects credit upon the officers engaged in it, especially as their promptness resulted in the capture of the still and the guilty parties before any "illicit whisky" had been thrown upon the purket. registered as soon as they are put up. upon the market.

THE FRUIT GROWERS, Their Picuic at Marshall Hall-Pleasure and

Business Combined. The fifth and last excursion and picuic of the season of the Potomac Fruit Growers' Association was given yesterday to Marshall known, and they were greated and bleased by Hall Natwithstanding the threatening losts of friends. Hall. Notwithstanding the threatening weather the Corcoran made two trips, taking down a large number each time. To say the least, it was one of the most enjoyable affairs of the season. The association is noted for its excursions, and this the last one rather had a tendency to increase its well-carned celebrity.
At first the spirits of the excursionists were wrapped in the mists, as it were, but by the time they arrived at their destination they had come out of the gloom and greeted the paylion

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adopted to the effect that those who wish to join the association, thereby getting the benefit of the proposed fair—free entrance—can do so by giving their names to the secretary, Dr. E. P. Howland, 211 Four-and-a-half-street northwest, and to the chairman of the executive committee, Colonel W. H. Chase, 1125 Eleventh street. Dr. Howland, as delegate from association to attend the convention to organize the World's Fair in 1883, reported that it was resolved to have a fair, and that the committee was retained as in 1883, reported that it was resolved to have a fair, and that the committee was retained as the working committee. This committee consists of 550 dologates, representing the different States, Territories, District of Columbia, cities, and industrial societies.

Mr. Chase, as chairman of the committee having in charge the arrangements for the proposed fair of the Fruit Growers' Association, reported that they had all been perfected, the committees appeared and in working condi-

committees appointed and lu working condi-tion, and that the affair is sure to be a success.

LODILLE'S HEADACHE SPECIFIC is without doubt a positive cure for headache. Try it. TEN MILES FROM A DRINK.

The Adventures of Copeland and Kilbourn in New Mexico. A letter has been received from Wm. P. Copeland, dated at Dorsey's Ranch, Chico Springs, New Mexico, in which he says :

Springs, New Mexico, in which he says:

Kilbourn and I are here. We are doing very well. We will have lots to tell you. Our usual luck attended us coming here. The horses ran away and threw me headforemost and backwards out of the wagon. I lit on my feet and then fell sideways. My heel is badly torn, my leg badly bruised and skinned, and from my elbow to the tip of my fingers scraped deep. Kilbourn was asfely landed, and is unhurt, except that his arms are yet sore from holding the d—d beasts, and we had to walk five miles over the prairie to the nearest ranch in a bralling sun. The fin of it was that we hadn't either of us had a drink for three days, not because we didn't want it, but they did not have any either at the Mexican or American ranches we passed. The horses got scared by a lossened trace, which allowed a whilletree to hammer one of the bronches legs. I hurry this for the mail. I have been laid up two days, but can hobble around to-day. I cut the heel out of my shoe when I was lurt. I will be all right in a week. No bone were broken. Kilbourn held on bravely till the horses kicked all the traces off, and then he let them go. They are probably running yet. Remember us to all the boys. Just imagine me walking those five miles badly hurt as I was.

-Good 25-cent meals at the Holly Tree.
-The only Turko-Russian and sulphur bathhouse in the city, 903 E street northwest.
-B. F. Queen, of the St. James news stand,
sends the New York Clipper for the current

Judge Snell is expected to return to the city and resume his duties in the Police Court about the 15th instant. -The best Vionna bread in the city can be obtained only at F. Freund's, 702 Ninth street

obtained only at F. Freund's, 702 Ninth street northwest; also confectionery.

—One thousand seven hundred and seventy-six drawback certificates have been issued to date, aggregating \$122,195 46.

—The case of the National Capital Insurance Company against Russell et al. has been dismissed by the solicitor for the complainant.

—The Fire Department is being drilled for the parade and review to be given when the Convention of Fire Engineers assembles here.

—Dr. P. J. Timenius has resigned as resident physician of the Washington Asylum and Dr. Llewellyn Eliot has been appointed to fill the vacancy. the vacancy.

-Office is Kenner and Markwood chased a

Balley has been solected to make the repairs to the pavement on that avenue.

"The commissioners of the Freedman's Sav-ings and Trust Company yesterday filed an ap-plication in the court for the approval of the sale of lot 12, square 4, of the sub-division of Ivy City, to the National Fair Grounds Associa-tion.

The number of applicants for drawback on the illegally-assessed water-tax continues to increase, and when the Treasurer's office closed vesterday over 3,000 persons had presented their claims for the money due them from the

District.

The set of harness taken from a thiof named Henry Harris, arrested by Detectives Coomes and Actor last Saturday, was yesterday identified by S. R. Priest, who resides in Montgomery County, near the District limits. His stable was broken open last Friday night and the harness stolen.

the harness stolen. -Attorney-General Devens has inclosed the petition of Mrs. Belva A. Lockwood and others asking for the appointment of a woman as achool trustee and requesting the views of the Commissioners on the subject. The Commis-sioners have referred the matter to the Board

of School Trustness for report.

—John Glick's residence in the northern section of the city, was the scene of generous hospitality and genuine enjoyment last night, the occasion being that of his marriage to the widow of the late John Bucchler (proprietor of John's restaurant). Both were widely

New Advertisements.

For sale—eleven-room house. The Eelectic Seminary, 1434 Q street northwest. New York Clothing House, 921 Pennsylvania Family Excursion to Blackiston's Island Sep-

School books at Boardman's, 529 Fourteenth street orthwest. Nathanal Kindergarten and School, 1127 Thirteenth

BREAKING THE GROUND.

The President Dedicates the National Fair Grounds.

An Interesting Ceremony at Ivy City-A Large Attendance of Prominent Officials and Citizens-A Brief Address by Congressman Blackburn-President Hayes Turns the First Sod.

Dedicating the Fair Ground. Threatening clouds overcast the sky yesterday afternoon, but did not deter upward of 1,000 people from putting in an appearance at the grounds of the National Fair Association at Ivy City to witness their dedication. The Stewart mansion, situated on a hill overlooking the entire tract, was made the headquar-

ters for the committee and its guests. On the porch were seated President Hayes, Commissioner Dent, Hon. J. C. S. Blackburn, Hon. George M. Adams, Clerk of the House of Representatives; Major Twining, Engineer of the District; W. M. Galt, president of the Fair Association ; W. B. Reed and Judge H.

and his address, teeming with good advice, was listened to attentively. He said the ob-jects to be achieved by this fair were not to be wrung from the people, but all should be de-sirous to join in honest and manly rivalry to make it successful. The effort was not only supported and sanctioned by the Chief Excen-tive of the Nation, but its affairs had been en-trusted to the leading business men of the Cap-ital. Its establishment would have all onetrusted to the leading business men of the Capital. Its establishment would bar all questions of State rivalry, for it would be held on neutral and common ground. Every citizen of this great country had an interest in its success, and all bickerings and disputes should be frowned down. The country's pide, and every effort tending to beautify and benefit it should be encouraged. It should not be the seat of arbitrary power, but the home of sovercign people of independent States, and should be decorated and atomed in a more lavish manner than the finest capitals in Europe. At the conclusion of Mr. Blackburn's address a new spade was handed him to present to PRESIDENT HAYES.

PRESIDENT HAYES.

This duty was performed in a neat speech, in which swords, ploughshares spears and pruning-hooks were pleasantly blended, and the line of march was taken up for the spot where the first spadeful of dirt would be lifted. The President, accompanied by Mr. W. M. Gait and except he all the spearings president as the spearing president. escorted by all the spectators, proceeded to a point about 100 feet from the house in a south-orly direction, and a halt was called. President Hayes, taking the spade from Mr. Galt, said that this occasion reminded him of a similar one in his own State. When a young man, the first time he listened to a public speaker was on the occasion of the dedica-tion of a fair ground. The gentleman, who was quite famous, told his hearers that as the

was quite famous, told his hearers that as the day was warm and the work hard he would have to take off his coat to it. He did so, and good judges said the job was well done. For himself he would prefer to keep his coat on. The President then struck

THE SPADE INTO THE EASTH, and giving it two or three vigorous thrusts with his left foot, obtained a good solid spadeful. This he lifted and upset, remarking that the land was not so good as the black swamp farms near his own Western home. During the performance of this ceremony the Marine Band played a lively air, and the Band played a lively air, and the enthusiasm was intense. The party then afterward retraced their steps to the house, where the inner man was satisfied, mine

An Indiscriminate and Fatal Shooting Affray

at a Festival. Last Monday night a dauce was given by a colored man named Burnside at his house near airing will find Greenwood to-day an agree-Montello, a station on the Baltimore & Ohio railroad, just beyond the District limits. The colored beaux and belies of Brightwood, Ivy City and the adjacent country participated. City and the adjacent country participated. Everything passed off quietly until about 10 o'clock, when two colored youths named James Payne and John Smith became engaged in an altercation regarding their right to the floor. Payne threw Smith to the ground and got his right ear in his mouth and chewed it vigorously. After considerable difficulty bystanders separated the men and Smith ran out of the house. Payne followed him and again assaulted him. The friends of the combatants then began fighting, and in the —Office is Kenner and Markwood chased a suspicious colored man early yesterday morning and recovered a package containing 750 cigars, which he dropped.

—Julia Williams, colored, for breaking a pitcher over Washington Bundy's head, in Madison alley, was fined \$5 or ten days in the Police Court yesterday morning.

—Jim Parker, the "monte" man arrested for victimizing a colored man named William Nellson, was fined \$50 or sixty days in juit by Judge Bundy yesterday. Another case against him was shot in the mouth and right log. He succeeded in shaking Payne off and attempted to escape from him. The latter again followed, and Smith turning quickly drew a seven-shooter and fired one shot at him. It evidently did not take effect, for Payne grappled with Smith, and picking him up in his arms dashed him violently to the ground. At this time the fight began among the outsiders with renewed vigor. At least fifty pistol-shots were fired, and one took effect in the side of Payne, killing him instantly. Smith, after his last encounter with the deceased, crawled into a ditch, where he was mission for repairing Penusylvania avenue, has mission for repairing Pennsylvania avenue, has notified the District Commissioners that Mr. Bailey has been selected to make the repairs to tialed officers to huot up Smith and other par-ticipants in the affair, in order to have them ready for a coroner's inquest. As the killing occurred in Maryland, the authorities of that State took charge of the case. An inquest was held yesterday, and a verdict was rendered that Payne was killed at the hands of Smith. Officers Rhodes and Cole arrested Smith about 10 o'clock yesterday morning, and locked him up at the Second precinct station.

STATEMENT OF THE PRISONER, A representative of THE NATIONAL RE-PUBLICAN interviewed the prisoner last night in his cell at the Second precinct station. He is a tail, well-made, dark-skinned colored fellow, with an honest, open countenance. He said his name was John Smith; that he was said his name was John Smith; that he was the sou of James and Caroline Smith, who live in the vicinity of Burnside's, on what is called the "back" road to Bladensburg. He lives with a dairyman named Boll. His age is seventeen, and he claims to be a sober and industrious lad. He was at the festival at Burnside's, but had drank nothing, and had is seventeen, and he claims to be a sober and industrious lad. He was at the festival at Burnside's, but had drank nothing, and had seen no difficulty until about 11 o'clock, when Jim Payne's brother-in-law got in o a row about a girl, and the first thing he knew Jim Payne reached for him (Smith); he said, "Hold on, Jim, I'm your friend; Jim repiled, "Never mind, I'll lift the back of your head off;" "I tried to keep out of the row," continued Smith, "but he first hit me and then bit my ear; he got me under, and when forced to get up raised me up with him by holding my ear in his teeth; Burnsido then came and separated us, and I tried to get away, but again met Jim Payne, who struck and bit me again; I hit him back with my flat, and again got away, but he followed so close that I drew my pistol and fired in the crowd; there was a good bit of shooting at that time, and I do not know whether my shot took effect or not; I continued ruuning with that time, and I do not know whether my shot took effect or not; I continued running with my friends, and went to a house; one of our party went back for some of the women and to learn who was burt; we first heard a

woman was killed, then that Jim Payne was badly hurt, and finally word came that

and that it was supposed that I shot him; I then went to Mr. Bell's to milk and told him all about the affair, and afterwards went out to let the matter cool down a little; about 10 o'clock, whon I was talking with a friend near the Congressional Cameter, two policement o'clock, when I was talking with a friend near the Congressional Cemetery, two policemen came up and brought me in: I do not know whether I killed Jim Payne or not, but God knows if I did fire the fatal shot, that he provoked it after I had begged him again and again to let me alone and not force me, because I was his friend." Smith is an honest appearing lad and tells a straight story which bears the impress of truth.

Street Improvements.
At the suggestion of the Engineer Commis-

ioner, Major William J. Twining, U. S. A. the District Commissioners have directed that proposals be invited for repairing the wood payements on the following streets by substituting some other kind of material. Granite block will be used as follows: Delaware avenue, be tween B and C streets, north; C street, between Delaware avenue and First street west Ninth street, between Pennsylvania avenue and B street northwest; Market Space, be-tween Eighth and Ninth streets northwest; Twentleth street west, between I and K streets Fair Association; W. B. Reed and Judgo H. H. Blackburn, of the board of directors; W. K. Rodgers, Secretary to the President, and nearly all the prominent business men of Washington. Carriages and wagons numbering many hundreds were parked about the house, and the seene was a very interesting one. The Marine Band, stationed under a large oak tree, discoursed popular airs and added greatly to the pleasure of the party. By 4 o'clock nearly a thousand persons were grouped about the house, and it was decided that the dedicatory exercises should begin at once. Mr. W. M. Galt introduced Hou. J. C. S. Blackburn,

THE ORATOR OF THE DAY, and his address, teeming with good advice, was listened to attentively. He said the objects to be achieved by this fair were not to be

In the case of Elenora Hayden et al. against Sophia Weiser, her guardian, au answer has been filed by the defendant denying the main charges in the bill of the complainant, that the estate has been mismanaged or any money belonging to the estate has been appropriated to the defendant's use. She denies owing the estate anything like \$25,000, and claims that when she is allowed proper and just credit for moneys paid out with and without vouchers, it will appear that she does not owe the estate anything, and that noither she nor her husband have used the estate for benefits in fraud of the rights of the plaintiff. Lowis Weiser claims that he owns lot 150, square 623, and that he purchased it of A. R. Shepherd for \$7,000, paying \$1,500 cash and gave notes for the balance. But owing to illheith he has been unable to meet the notes at maturity, and there is now a balance due on the property more than equal its value, and priated to the defendant's use. She denies on the property more than equal its value, and the defendants are willing the plaintiff shall have the property if they desire it. Sophia Weiser says that the rents and profits of the estate after deducting the defendant's dower, maintaining Elemora and keeping the estate in remair, were used ficient to keep down the taxes repair, were insufficient to keep down the taxes, but denies that the arrears are \$12,000.

Domestic Infelicity. Johanna Miller has filed a bill for separation from her husband, Ludwig Miller, and alimony of \$30 per month. The parties were married in October, 1850, at the city of Posen, in the Kingdom of Poland, by Rev. Father Gieborronski, and came to America in the year 1854. She charges that the defendant is of a very quarrelsome nature, and on March 3, 1867, he put all of the household goods into the street and told her to "go to the devil," which compelled her to leave him. She was then obliged to go to housekeeping for herself and provide for her four homeless children. Subsequently the children visited their father, and they succeeded in pursuading her to return and live with him on the promise that he would treat her better. His good behavior continued for almost two weeks, when he relapsed into the old hisbits, and began a series of cruel acts which have impared her health. She further declares that she paid \$330 for the premises where they now reside, and asks that he be cujoined from selling them. ronski, and came to America in the year 1854.

he be enjoined from selling them.

The Picole at Greenwood To-day. Those who desire a pleasant afternoon and evening in the company of sociable and refined ladies and gentlemen, should visit Green-wood to-day and night and participate in the enjoyments of the "picnicque" under the aus-pices of Equal Division. Sons of Temperance. Greenwood is a beautiful pleasure ground a mile north of the terminus of the Washington and Georgetown railroad, reached in ten min utes by comfortable stages connecting with the

A Religious Excursion The latest enterprise of the Washington and Baltimore Excursion Company is an excursion Baltimore Excursion Company is an excursion to Blackiston's Island, arranged especially for the benefit of the church-going public. The excursion will be given next Friday, on the handsome iron steamer Lady of the Lake, which will leave at 8:30 a.m., returning about 10:30 p.m. In order to insure the comfort of the party no liquors will be allowed on the beat, and nothing objectionable will be permitted either on the boat or grounds. The steamer is provided with a grand piano, and a superior cornet soloist has been secured for the occasion, so that musical exercises can be arranged by the excursionists. Salt-water bathranged by the excursionists. Salt-water bath-ing, crabbing and fishing are the attractions at the Island.

Roys', Misses', Youths' and Children's Shoes in great variety at T. Gartrell's, 900 Seventh street, corner of L.

Arrested for Grand Lucceny. Officer McNeal, of the Sixth precinct, yesterday evening arrested Maria Hansborough on a warrant sworn out by Mrs. C. M. Boardman, residing on Fourteenth street, between L. and M streets, charging her with the larceny of a diamond ring valued at \$25, two gold tassels valued at \$30, and three ten-dollar notes. Maria stated to Lieutenant Greer that she had returned the diamond ring and the gold tasreturned the diamond ring and the gold tas-sels. The stolen articles were the property of Mrs. Caroline Durkes, who was staying at Mrs. Boardman's residence at the time of the theft, the 11th of last August. Maria was taken to the station by the officer and locked up. She will be presented to Judge Bundy today to answer to the charge of grand larceny.

INGRAIN CARPETS, 25c up; Wool Carpets, 50c; Brussel Carpets, 75c up. Bargains in Blankets. Best Wool Cashmeres in the city for 50c up. Naudain, 709 Market Space.

An Oyster Roast at Hollister's Landing. One of the most delightful resorts on the Potomac is Hollister's Laudi ig, and this is the objective point of the excursion to be given on the Jane Moseley to morrow by Mr. Edward Kolb, the cateror of the Moseley. Besides its many other attractions, Hollister's Lauding has the reputation of being the best point on the river for crabbing. The boat will leave the Sixth-street wharf at 8 a. m., returning at 10:20 a. m. allowing five bours at the landing 10:30 p. m., allowing five hours at the landing for crabbing and fishing. An oyster roast will be the great event of the day.

A GENUINE DIA MOND Solitaire Ring \$10, at R. Harris & Co.'s, 435 Seventh street north-

Marriage Licenses.

AMUSEMENTS.

Benefit of Mile, Elise Conly. This charmming artiste, whose recent engage cent at Thorne's Summer Garden is so pleasantly emembered by all who then had the privilege earing her, takes a benefit at that popular reso hearing her, takes a benefit at that popular resort this evening. It is her farewell appearance before sailling for England on the 20th instant, where she is under engagement with Mr. D'Oyley Carte, the agent of Gilbert and Sullivan, for a season of Pinafore' and other operas of those delightful composers. Flattering offers have been received by Miss Conly from managers on this side for her services here when our English consists will consent to spare her. But none who have seen her or heard her sing or failen under the witchery of her smile and glauce will dare hope that this will so for many a day. Neille Hadifield, the wonderful interviews, and others of our best local talent will arsist to make the occasion one of the finest of the season. York aveoue.

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THE NATIONAL TELEPHONIC EXCHANGE, WM. IL BARNARD, Treasourer, U.C. C. NAYNARD, General Manuger, Washington, D. C., August 22, 1872. august, m. Washington, D. C., August 22, 1872. august, m. Patents and patents are the patents and patents.

Hermann, the prestidigitator and world-famous artist, under Fred. Maeder's management, will be-gin an engagement at the National Theatre next git an engagement at the National Theatre next Monday evening September 5. The production of objects from impossible hiding piaces, the transference of balls and other things from one box to another, the destruction of watches, hats, handkerchiefs and their autorishing restoration, are the common place of the cathing, the excellence of the operator tying in the tact and expertness displayed. Hormann dazzles all beholders, and is pronounced by the press and public of the world as having no pear. In his peculiar specialty, The Lorelias, the famous accobated cancers and grotesque performers, are with the great illusionist, and contribute their valuable ind, while Addie, the young and graceful artiste, a lady of more than average talent, assists in her specialties. Ford's Opera-House—"Electric Light."

One to witness the performance of "Electric light" at the Opera-House can hardly realize that e piece has only entered upon its second week of xistence as public property. After the first per-ormance all the features which marred the unity formance all the features which marred the unity of the work were removed, and it now appears it as perfect form as an old opera which has been smoothed out and revised until nothing but the best is left. An American comic opera, with American seemes and American characters of to-day, it something so new to the stage that it wakes up ever the interest of the old theatre-goers, who declar that they have become wearied of the opera. The courage of the authors in entering an unexplore region has aiready been rewarded by ample evidences of success. A matines performance will be given this afternoon in addition to the regular evening performance,

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"Let Them Not be Confounded!" There is so much said in the papers of the day bout the action of the Constitutional Convention if the State of Louisiana just adjourned, that it is of the state of Louislana just adjourned, that it is but proper to notify the public that the condemnation of the scaling of the State indebtedness in no way affects the management and the plans of the Louislana State Lottery Company, which, since its incorporation in 1868, has never scaled its schemes or postponed its drawings, but, with strict integrity, has observed its pledges to the public inviolate, and has hence derived a popularity unheard of since the days when General George Washington drew a lottery under the authority of the Continental Congress, to carry on the war for Independence. The next—the 112—monthly drawing of the Louislana State Lottery will occur on Tuesday, Septembr 2, and any information can be had on application to M. A. Bauphin, postoffice box 692, New Orleans, or the same at No. 319 Broadway, New York city.

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SPECIAL NOTICES.

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formed a finited partnership, in jurinance of the Revised Statutes of the United States relating to the District of Columbia concerning Inside partnerships. The name or firm under which said partnerships. The name or firm under which said partnership is to be conducted is 18. NKERT & WILSON, the business to be transacted is the manufacturing, purchasing and selling of Roots and Shoes in the city of Washington, District of Columbia. The names and residences of the general partners are George P. Heskert and George B. Wilson, but restding in the city of Washington, i. C., and the special partner has contribute to the transaction in the city of Washington, i. C., and the special partner has contribute to thousand dollars in cash to the commence of the lith day of August, 183, and is to terminate on the sist day of August, 183, and is to terminate on the sist day of August, 183, and is to terminate on the sist day of August, 183, and is to terminate on the sist day of August, 183, and is to terminate on the sist day of August, 183, and is to terminate on the sist day of August, 183, and is to terminate on the sist day of August, 183, and is to terminate on the sist day of August, 183, and 18 to terminate on the sist day of August, 183, and 18 to terminate on the sist day of August, 183, and 18 to terminate on the sist day of August, 183, and 18 to terminate on the sist day of August, 183, and 18 to terminate on the sist day of August, 183, and 18 to terminate on the sist day of August, 183, and 18 to terminate on the sist day of August, 183, and 18 to terminate on the sist day of August, 183, and 18 to terminate on the sist day of August, 183, and 18 to terminate on the sist day of August, 183, and 18 to terminate on the sist day of August, 183, and 18 to terminate on the sist day of August, 183, and 18 to terminate on the sist day of August, 183, and 18 to terminate on the sist day of August, 183, and 18 to terminate of the control of the co

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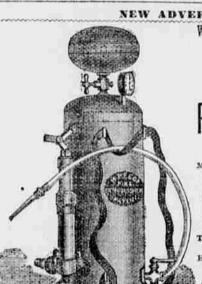
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